



The Diversity Diet: Here's to a Better You!

Tuesday, September 29, 2026 • 3:00 – 3:50 pm

KCMBA Event Center

Credit: Missouri – 1.0 ethics/elimination of bias / Kansas – 1.0 ethics

Cost: KCMBA Member – FREE / Non-Member – \$100

DESCRIPTION

This seminar is designed to educate attorneys about diversity, inclusion, and implicit bias within the legal profession and the broader communities they serve. Using the familiar framework of dieting and long-term lifestyle change, the program examines why the profession must continue addressing diversity and bias, including the need for different perspectives at the table, the importance of recognizing implicit bias, and the practical challenge of moving from awareness to action.

Participants will consider how principles associated with successful personal change—commitment, persistence, accountability, support, and a willingness to do things differently—apply to improving diversity and reducing bias in legal workplaces, professional relationships, and client service. The seminar will provide lawyers with concrete ways to expand their perspectives, engage with diverse communities, examine their own decision-making, and take sustained steps toward creating a more inclusive and equitable legal profession.

SCHEDULE

3:00 PM Program

3:50 PM Adjourn to Happy Hour

SPEAKERS

Keith A. Cutler, James W. Tippin & Associates

*Course materials will be sent via email.

4 WAYS TO PRE-REGISTER:

1. **Online** at kcmba.org
2. **Mail** completed registration form with payment to KCMBA, 2300 Main St., Suite 100, Kansas City, MO 64108.
3. **Fax** (816) 474-0103
4. **Phone** (816) 474-4322

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Substitutions for paid registrations are accepted. Credit vouchers are transferable.

No shows will not receive a refund or credit voucher. A request for refund due to emergency or hardship must be received in writing no more than 30 days after the event date.

Special accommodations may be made by contacting KCMBA at (816) 474-4322 prior to the program date.

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